

I claim:

1. A protective poncho type outer garment to be worn about the upper body torso of a person, the garment comprising:

5 a main body panel having a shoulder portion with a neck opening for passage of a wearer's head and front and back portions open at the sides;

a pair of opposed outwardly extending sleeves respectively secured to opposite sides of said shoulder portion;

said sleeves having forearm and upper arm portions wherein said forearm portions are continuous tubular sleeves and said upper arm portions are open at the bottom for  
10 alternate protrusion therethrough of a wearer's arms.

2. The outer garment of claim 1 including elastic distal wrist closures on said forearm portions.

3. The outer garment of claim 1 including a hood secured to said shoulder portion adjacent said neck opening.

15 4. The outer garment of claim 1 wherein said sleeves overlap said shoulder portion at their proximal ends.

5. The outer garment of claim 4 wherein said upper arm portions of said sleeves expand in area at their proximal ends.

6. The outer garment of claim 1 including a first adjustable waist belt secured to opposite sides of said front portion and having a buckle fastener for securement of said first belt  
5 at the back of a wearer.

7. The outer garment of claim 6 including a second adjustable waist belt secured to opposite sides of said back portion and having a buckle fastener for securement of said second belt at the front of a wearer.

8. The outer garment of claim 7 wherein said front and back portions are  
10 narrower side to side adjacent said shoulder area.

9. The outer garment of claim 8 wherein said narrower portions of said front and back portions are provided by pleats.

10. The outer garment of claim 1 including a storage pocket on one of said front and back portions dimensioned for stuffing said garment therein for self-storage.

11. The outer garment of claim 1 wherein said garment is fabricated of rip stop  
15 nylon.

12. A protective poncho type outer garment to be worn about the upper body torso of a person, the garment comprising:

a main body panel having a shoulder portion with a neck opening for passage of a wearer's head and front and back portions open at the sides;

5 a pair of opposed outwardly extending sleeves respectively secured to opposite sides of said shoulder portion;

a first adjustable waist belt secured to opposite sides of said front portion and having a buckle fastener for securement of said first belt at the back of a wearer; and

a second adjustable waist belt secured to opposite sides of said back portion  
10 and having a buckle fastener for securement of said second belt at the front of a wearer.

13. The outer garment of claim 12, said sleeves having forearm and upper arm portions wherein said forearm portions are continuous tubular sleeves and said upper arm portions are open at the bottom for alternate protrusion therethrough of a wearer's arms.

14. The outer garment of claim 13 including elastic distal wrist closures on said  
15 forearm portions.

15. The outer garment of claim 12 wherein said sleeves overlap said shoulder portion at their proximal ends.

16. The outer garment of claim 15 wherein said upper arm portions of said sleeves expand in area at their proximal ends.

17. The outer garment of claim 12 wherein said front and back portions are narrower side to side adjacent said shoulder portion.

5 18. The outer garment of claim 17 wherein said narrower portions of said front and back portions are provided by pleats.

19. The outer garment of claim 12 including a hood secured to said shoulder portion adjacent said neck opening.

20. The outer garment of claim 12 including a storage pocket on one of said front  
10 and back portions dimensioned for stuffing said garment therein for self-storage.

21. The outer garment of claim 12 wherein said garment is fabricated of rip stop nylon.